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HISTORICAL AND ARCHITECTURAL INFORMATION

The following information was recorded by Alexander Piaget and Charles van Ravenswaay at the time the photograph was taken:

Built October 8, 1859, as evidenced by the carved stone set in south gable wall. Formerly owned by the Johnson family, but present owner Herman Eichman thinks the house was built by an earlier German immigrant.

Two and one half stories, walls of magnesian limestone. Stone columns are original. The house has a wide center hall, double exterior doors, front and back set under a flattened arched transom. Fireplaces are in the lower rooms with large opening and high mantel shelves in German Classical Revival design. Window openings have wide reveals.

PROJECT INFORMATION

The Piaget-van Ravenswaay Survey consists of a number of photographs, primarily of sites and structures in Missouri, which were taken before 1938 by Alexander Piaget and after that by Paul Piaget, both in conjunction with Charles van Ravenswaay. Photographs of buildings were incorporated into the HABS collection in 1985 by Laura Rupp and in 1986 by Deborah Fulton, HABS historians. A master list is available in the [REDACTED] records for MO-1800.